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DR. ELLIFF PRAISES EDUCATIONAL WORK

WORK AT HIGH SCHOOL AND ST. PATRICK'S COMPLIMENTED

WILL RE-INSTATE THE H.S.

On Credited List of North Central Association—Residence Hall Also Praised

Dr. J. D. Elliff of the state University, state high school inspector for the North Central Association of High Schools, was well pleased with the conditions at the Maryville High School and spoke in very complimentary terms about the work being done there. Dr. Elliff inspected the high school here yesterday and last evening spoke at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon about the schools in Maryville.

Dr. Elliff said the high school had the strongest faculty it has had in years and good work was being done there.

A visit was paid by Dr. Elliff to the St. Patrick's parochial high school here. He said the equipment of this school and as well as the work being done there would be a credit to a public high school in any town of 5,000 people.

"I have visited many dormitory buildings all over the country but you have the best designed building I have even seen," said Dr. Elliff in speaking of the new residence hall at the State Teachers College. He said while other places probably have more showy buildings, yet they were not as well arranged. Dr. Elliff stated the new dormitory would be a great asset to the college and predicted that by next fall every room would be occupied in that building.

Dr. Elliff did not discuss whether the Maryville high school would be added to the list of accredited high schools of the North Central association. The high school was dropped from this list last year on account of the salaries paid to the high school teachers but since the school board has increased these salaries and other minor conditions corrected, it was thought the school would be put back on the list.

After the luncheon Dr. Elliff told Superintendent L. E. Ziegler and the members of the school board last night that he would recommend the local school for re-instatement on the credited list in the North Central Association. He said that all the requirements had been met and that there was no reason now for preventing re-instatement.

President Eager for First Round of Golf

Harding Special Arrives in Jacksonville This Morning—First Game to be Played at Ormund

By GEORGE R. HOLMES

Aboard the Harding Special

Jacksonville, Fla., March 6—President Harding reached Florida this morning eager for the first tilt with "Colonel Bogey" over the famous golf courses of the "land of flowers."

The special reached Jacksonville at 8:40 o'clock this morning after an all night run down the Atlantic coast with only a few stops. After a half hour they proceeded to Ormund, where Harding plans to shoot a round of golf then go aboard the houseboat, Pioneer, for an indeterminate cruise down the Indian river.

Police Still Seek Mrs. Clara Phillips

San Francisco, March 6—Deputy Sheriff Frank Dewar arrived today from Los Angeles following a new clue that may divulge the present whereabouts of Clara Phillips, "hammer slayer," who escaped from the Los Angeles jail some time ago.

Dewar is expected to question one person in particular who is believed to know not only where Clara Phillips is hiding, but has communicated with her recently.

Purchased Kemper Property.

Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the probate court has purchased the Miss Bess Kemper property at the corner of Seventh and Mulberry streets and will take possession March 15. The consideration was $7,250 and deal was made through Hugh Strong. Judge and Mrs. Robertson have been living in an apartment in the A. A. Brewer home on South Main street.

Rev. Cooper Speaks to History Club

High School Students Hear Him Discuss French Invasion of the Ruhr Valley

The Rev. J. A. Cooper gave a talk to the History Club of the high school this morning. Mr. Cooper spoke upon the situation in the Ruhr district. The room was filled to capacity by members of the History Club and a number of other students. Everyone enjoyed the talk very much.

Mr. Cooper gave a very instructive talk. He gave the facts concerning the situation and told of the position of France, in relation to the other nations. He then gave the reasons by which France was justified in entering the Ruhr. "France" he said "will win or lose the war in the Ruhr. If they can force Germany to pay the debt, they have won. If not, all of their sacrificed men, money and efforts, have accounted for nothing."

REPARATION FUSS HARD ON BUSINESS

BALDWIN SAYS IT CHECKS EUROPEAN PROSPERITY

CO-OPERATION IS URGED

Ramsey MacDonald Laborite, Asks House of Commons to Mediate Ruhr Problems

London, March 6—An informal motion for mediation in the Ruhr was introduced in the House of Commons this afternoon by Ramsey MacDonald, laborite, and chief leader of the opposition on the floor.

MacDonald moved that the French and Belgian Chamber of Deputies cooperate with the British parliament to settle the Ruhr issue between France and Germany.

This move was regarded more significant in view of the reports from Berlin that Chancellor Cuno would definitely announce a plan to the French and Reichstag this afternoon. Stanley Baldwin, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in a speech today, said that Great Britain was seeking peace.

"There can be no complete resumption of trade in Europe," said Baldwin, "until a settlement is made of the debt and reparation questions."

Oppenstein Appointed on K. C. Police Board

Jefferson City, March 6—Governor Hyde announced today that he would re-appoint Louis Oppenstein as member of the board of police commissioners at Kansas City, but said he had not yet determined upon the successor of John Wilson as a member of the board.

Wilson sent his resignation to the Governor in January, buthad been induced to remain until the expiration of his term. The terms of both men will expire next Tuesday. It will be necessary for Hyde to submit the appointments to the Senate now in session.

Both have asked Governor Hyde to go to Kansas City for a conference upon the situation, but Hyde said he had not decided whetner or not he would make the trip.

K. C. OFERS AID TO CHECK CHURCH FIRES.

Montreal, March 6.—The assistance of the Knights of Columbus has been offered to the provincial government to protect church property. Many Catholic cathedrals have been burned recently.

REPORT DENIED THAT KAISER SEEKS OLD CORFU PALACE.

Berlin, March 6.—Personal representatives of the ex-Kaiser in Berlin today denied that Wilhelm plans to go to Corfu. It has been reported that he was seeking to regain his palace on the island for his bride, and it is reported that she expects to be a mother during the summer.

Sues on a Note

The Brewster State Bank of Brewster, Kan., has brought a suit against John Ramey on a note.

Municipal Chorus Tonight

The municipal chorus will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Conservatory of Music for its regular weekly rehearsal.

Married by Judge Robertson.

James E. Brown and Eva Smith of Creston, Iowa, were married today by Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the probate court.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS TO HAVE BIG MEET

JOINT CONVOCATION AT ST. JOSEPH ON MARCH 30

MANY WILL GO FROM HERE

Candidates from Maryville Are Expected to Take Work—Many Members Will Also Attend

The Royal Arch Masons of Northwest Missouri will hold a Joint Convocation at the Auditorium in St. Joseph on the evening of March 30. More than twenty Chapters including Maryville will participate and the class will be the largest ever assembled at any Masonic event in Northwest Missouri. This unusual meeting will be in honor of Dr. Wm. F. Kuhn of Kansas City who is the General Grand High Priest of Royal Arch Masons of the United States.

Prior to the ritualistic ceremony the Moila Band will play a concert and the drill corps of Kansas City Commandery and Oriental Commandery, also of Kansas City will give an exhibition drill in full Templar Uniform.

Elaborate preparations are being made for the conferring of the Degree of Most Excellent Master, in which is portrayed the dedication of King Solomon's Temple. Five hundred men will participate in the ceremony. A chorus of one hundred fifty voices has been organized to sing during the ceremonies, and will rehearse each Sunday afternoon during March under the direction of Professor John B. Elliott, supervisor of Music in St. Joseph Central High School.

About fifty candidates from Maryville and Nodaway County are expected to take the work. Many members of the Owens Chapter of this city will attend the convocation.

Mayor of Mer Rouge Called by Grand Jury

Bastrop, March 6—Mayor Dade of Mer Rouge was the first witness to be called before the grand jury this morning in the investigation into the "black hood" crimes of Morehouse Parish.

Mayor Dade, at the open hearing, had confessed that he was a member of the Ku Klux Klan at one time, but said that he with-drew when he "saw how things were going." He told of taking part in a series of raids by the band and named several men, who were implicated in a "hold-up" near Mer Rouge.

Regular Meeting of Council to be Tonight

The regular monthly meeting of the city council will be held tonight at the city hall in the basement of the library. This will be the last regular meeting before the primary election on March 20 for the city offices and only one more meeting will be held before the general election next month. The terms of Mayor Fred P. Robinson, and C. F. Remus and Harry Mutz as councilmen expire at this time.

Methodist Choir to Give Easter Cantata

Plans are now under way for the Easter cantata of the First Methodist Church to be given on the evening of Easter Sunday. The cantata to be given is "Victory" by Wildemere. It will be presented by the choir of the church and rehearsals have already started on the numbers. It is also planned to have an orchestra accompaniment. The cantata is given under the direction of C. D. Kutschinski.

On Petit Federal Jury in St. Joe This Week

The St. Joseph division of the western district federal court is in session in St. Joseph this week with Judge A. L. Reeves, newly appointed judge, presiding. Thomas Beattie of Barnard, is a member of the grand jury. Among the members of the petit jury from Nodaway County are: George Adams, Barnard; John Boedecker, Parnell; F. B. Monroe, Hopkins; H. L. Raines, Maryville; John B. Sell, Barnard; Roy L. Sturgeon, Hopkins; M. G. Wolfers, Hopkins, and Fred J. Yeomans, Hopkins.

Facial Expressions Betray Grades of High School Students

Today is one of the red letter days at the high school. The big event today, was the issuing of the grade cards. This is a vital thing in the lives of some students who are not sure just what their grades will be. The frantic rush and frenzied offorts of some students, indicate that they are very, very anxious to see the little piece of cardboard, known as the grade card. Some seem to be disappointed, after the first glance. Others don't seem to be affected so much, while the satisfied expression on the countenances of some, is sure to indicate an M, S. or even the rare and elusive E.

FEARS NEW WOMAN MAY LOSE LAURELS

ONLY HALF WAY FREED FROM OLD TRADITION

URGES MORE FREEDOM

May Recede to "Ornamental" Status Of Grandmothers, Peeress Declares

By David M. Church
International News Service Staff Correspondent

London, March 6—"We stand halfway toward the new conception—we are only halfway up the ladder of emancipation, and I am not certain whether we are going forward."

Lady Rhondda has sounded this warning to her sex. Unless modern woman forges ahead then the newly-gained emancipation is bound to be lost, the Viscountess declared. She has fears that women are resting upon the laurels which they have won and that they are slipping back into the place in the world which their grandmothers held 50 years ago.

War Helped Growth

"The war helped us to get out of the old state of affairs," Lady Rhondda declared.

"Since the war we have been slipping back again, and the idea that woman should be ornamental and not useful has been cropping up again. Is it not possible that instead of going forward womanhood may once more recede to the conditions of 50 years ago?"

Lady Rhondda has no sympathy for those who would criticize modern "flapperdom." There have always been "flappers," and they have always been subjected to criticism, she says.

"The young women of today are no worse than their grandmothers," the Viscountess said.

Girls Ever the Same

"They don't differ one iota. There is one generalization which throughout the ages does not change—the generalization about the modern young woman. What we are saying about her today was being said in days gone by. The modern girl has always been held in much the same disapprobation.

"Let me read from an issue of the Saturday Review of 1868. This article charges that the modern young women of the period were dyeing their hair and painting their faces. This critic wrote: 'She dresses to please herself and does not care if she displeases everybody else.' Many of the critics of today are merely re-echoing the words of the critics of a half century ago.

More Education

"There are two main differences between the woman of today and her sister of 50 years ago. Today the education of a young woman does not compare quite so unfavorably with the education of her brother. In the second place, the woman of to-day is allowed to some extent only, to develop and not to suppress her faculties and individuality.

"Fifty years ago it was assumed that woman was not meant to be useful. She was supposed to be ornamental and, above all things, attractive.

"We are slipping back to that conception of woman as an ornament. We must watch lest we lose our new freedom."

Guest at Gillam Home

Miss Margaret Meriwether of Kansas City will arrive in Maryville tomorrow morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Forrest T. Gillam. She will come here from St. Louis where she has been visiting friends.

COMPLETE PLANS FOR MUSIC WEEK

WILL BE HELD THIS YEAR FROM MAY 6 TO 11.

TO HAVE K.C. SYMPHONY

Little Symphony Orchestra Will Be Headliner—Duo Piano Recital Another Feature.

The program for the Second Annual Music Week, to be held May 6-11, was announced today by Charles R. Gardner, head of the College Conservatory of Music. The Music Week this year will be even better and on a larger scale than the one last year. Instead of one feature program there will be five this year. Beginning with the recital by the faculty of the Conservatory of Music on Sunday night and lasting until the combined concert of the Nodaway County bands on Friday night it will be a week that music lovers in Maryville should long remember.

The headliner feature will be on Thursday, both afternoon and night, when the Kansas City Little Symphony Orchestra will give two concerts. In the afternoon a concert will be given for children and at night one for adults. In the concert for the children the selections, which will be given will be chosen by the "kiddies" from the numbers on last year's music memory contests.

With the exception of the concert Sunday night, all of the numbers on the week's program will be given in the State Teachers College auditorium. The Sunday night program will be given in the Christian church.

The entire program as outlined by Mr. Gardner follows:

Sunday morning, May 6—Special musical numbers will be given at all of the churches and the ministers are asked to give a sermon appropriate to the theme of the week.

Sunday night—Combined recital of the faculty of the Conservatory of Music with Charles R. Gardner at the organ, Miss Geneva Wilfley and Thomas H. Annett in piano solos, L. A. Richman in vocal solos and C. D. Kutschinski in violin solos. Music will also be furnished by the State Teachers College chorus of a hundred voices.

Monday night—The Holy City, an oratorio by Gaul, sung by the municipal chorus with the following soloists: Mrs. F. P. Robinson, soprano; Mrs. Allen Hinckley, contralto, and L. A. Richman, baritone.

Tuesday night—Piano Duo Recital by Arne Olberg and Carl Beecher, of the Conservatory of Music of Northwestern University.

Thursday afternoon — Concert for children by the Kansas City Little Symphony.

Thursday night—Concert by the Little Symphony Orchestra for adults.

Friday night—Concert by the combined bands of Noadway County, under the dierction of C. D. Kutschinski.

There will be no program on Wednesday night because of the regular mid-week prayer service of the churches.

Season tickets will be sold for the Music Week with the exception of the concert Sunday night, for which there will be no charge.

H. S. Contest Fees to Be Paid by the Board

School Board Last Night Agrees to Pay Entry Fees for Spring College Contests.

The school board of the Maryville High School, at its meeting last night, gave a boost to the high school entries in the annual spring contests at the college by deciding to pay the entry fees in all the contests except track and these will be taken care of by the athletic association. The high school plans to enter all of the music, speaking, agricultural, commercial and domestic science contests.

Hope-Faris Case Is Set for Trial Friday

The case of Fannie Hope of Maryville against Elmer E. Faris of Fairbury, Neb., is set for trial in federal court in St. Joseph on Friday. The attorneys for the plaintiff are Dr. O. L. Curl and McCaffrey & Cook of this city. The suit is for $75,000 damages for libel. There probably will be from ten to twelve witnesses from Maryville in this case.

Bank Receives Some Foreign Bank Notes

Present Value Is Considerable Less Than the Pre-War Value—How the Value Has Gone Down.

The Real Estate Bank has purchased some foreign bank notes to be put on display to show what the pre-war value was and the approximate present value. Included in the lot are:

German marks, pre-war value per 10,000, $2,380; present value $1.00.

Austrian Kr., pre-war value per 10,000, $2,023; present value 26 cents.

Polish marks, pre-war value, $2,023; present value 70 cents.

Hungarian Kr., pre-war value, $2,023; present value $5.50.

Russian czar rubles, pre-war value, $1,130; present value $3.50.

Soviet rubles, 1922 issue Red, no pre-war issue, 30 cents per 1,000,000. Each 100 Soviet ruble 1922 bank note is equal to 1,000,000 of the old 1921 issue.

NAVAL PARTY TO INSPECT PANAMA

SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES LEAVE FOR CANAL ZONE

HEADED BY SEC. DENBY

Party On Board Transport Henderson Will Witness Atlantic-Pacific Fleet Maneuvers

By KENNETH W. CLARK
International News Correspondent

Aboard the U. S. ship Henderson enroute to Panama March 6—The navy transport Henderson with the official fleet of inspection with Secretary of the Navy, Edwin Denby aboard, left lower Chesapeake Bay today on its first lap to Panama to witness the Atlantic-Pacific fleet maneuvers.

There was great action this morning aboard this big gray vessel, which during the war carried thousands of marines, sailors and soldiers across the submarine menaced Atlantic. Secretary Denby was among the first of the official party to arrive and watched the gobs in their early morning exercise long before the other high navy officials, senators and correspondents arrived.

There are eighty-four persons in the inspection party including eight senators, thirty-five representatives, twelve ranking officers of the navy, headed by Rear Admiral R. E. Coontz, and twenty-nine correspondents and camera men.

Triple Funeral for Mrs. Silence and Sons

Three Deaths Occur in Skidmore Family Within One Week—Father And Daughter Now Bedfast

Funeral services for Mrs. Henry Silence and her two sons, Donald and Orville Silence, were held at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Silence home, four miles west of Skidmore. The Rev. J. J. Cokely, pastor of the Methodist Church in Skidmore and an old friend of the family, officiated and was assisted by the Rev. David G. MacDougall, pastor of the Burr Oak Church. Burial of the mother was in Burr Oak cemetery where the two sons had been buried within the last ten days.

Mrs. Silence was forty-five years old and her death at 8:30 o'clock Saturday night followed a two weeks' illness of influenza and heart disease. Donald Silence, ten years old, died last Friday morning after a week's illness of flu and pneumonia, and his brother, Orville, sixteen years old, died February 24 of the same disease.

The surviving members of the family are Mr. Silence and four children, Harry Silence of the Philippine Islands and Ray, Earl and Violet Silence, at home. Mr. Silence, his sons and the daughter, at home, who have all been ill of flu and pneumonia, are improved although the father and daughter are still bedfast.

Sold 375 Dozen Eggs in January-February

Mrs. George Martin, living northeast of Guilford, sold during January and February, 375 dozens or 4,500 eggs from a flock of 300 English White Leghorn hens.

Snowstorm at Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 6.—A heavy snow is banked high throughout Pittsburgh today following the worst snowstorm in years.

CUNO OPENS WAY FOR INTERVENTION

VIRTUALLY INVITES OUTSIDE AID IN THE RUHR

BOCHUM REFUSES TO PAY

Authorities Won't Give French 35 Million Marks—People in An Angry Mood

By Carl M. Elish
International News Correspondent

Berlin, March 6—Germany will not open negotiations with France for settlement of the Ruhr until that district is evacuated by the French and Belgians, Chancellor Wilhelm Cuno announced this afternoon in a special session of the Reichstag.

Chancellor Cuno has virtually invited intervention in the Ruhr by outside power. "We would not refuse intervention by a power," said the Chancellor. It is generally believed that he was referring to the United States. The Chancellor continued:

"Germany is ready to negotiate but we must negotiate as an equal. Evacuation of the Ruhr by the army of occupation must be made before negotiations can begin."

Bochum, March 6.—Municipal authorities informed the French today that they will not pay the 35 million marks fine imposed upon them in retaliation for their refusal to obey French orders. The people are in angry mood and trouble is feared.

Young Song Writer Takes Her Own Life

San Francisco, March 6—Discouraged and despondent over her failure to get some songs published, and coupled with worry over poor health, caused Miss Kathryn Bernard, 25, well-known musician and composer, to commit suicide by gas asphyxiation in her room today, according to the police, who found her body.

She left two notes, according to the police. Miss Bernard comes from a well-known family in the northwest, her home being in Spokane. She is author of several popular songs, her last one being "Moonlight Hours."

Emma DeMoss Files Suit for Divorce

A suit for a divorce was filed today by Emma DeMoss against Fred T. DeMoss. Grounds for the divorce were alleged as indignities of assault and beatings and also threatening to take the life of the plaintiff by placing a rope around her neck and attempting to strangle her by pulling the rope tight about her neck. The petition states they were married on March 28, 1908 in St. Joseph and lived together until March 4, 1923. Custody of a minor child is asked.

Township Collectors Settling With Court

Township collectors were making settlements with the county court today. Roy Birkenholz, collector of Independence township, collected $36,537.73 in taxes and had only $64.83 personal taxes delinquent. Evan Lockhart, collector of Hughes township, collected $40,726. His personal delinquent taxes amounted to only $18.35.

Arrest "Jigger" Bock on a Liquor Charge

Earl "Jigger" Bock of Hopkins, wrestler and constable, has been arrested by Marshall Charley Wilson of that town on a charge of selling corn whiskey to a man named Oley Ikers. Bock's trial will come up before Mayor Oscar Mutti next Thursday. It is not known yet whether a state charge will be lodged against Bock.

Person Remembers Firemen

More cigars and more money for the fire laddies. This time it was a box of true Havanas and a check for $10 left with Fire Chief Bert Rowley by Dr. R. C. Person in appreciation of the work the firemen did at the fire at his house last Sunday.

THE WEATHER.

Generally fair to-night and Wednesday; somewhat colder to-night, rising temperature Wednesday in the west and north portions.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

For County Superintendent of Schools.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for superintendent of schools for Nodaway County, subject to the decision of the voters at the school election on Tuesday, April 3, 1923.

LESLIE G. SOMERVILLE.

For Mayor.

I wish to announce my candidacy for mayor of the City of Maryville subject to the decision of the voters at the city primary election to be held on March 20, 1923.

WILBERT REESE

THE SIMPLE SPORTS

One of the great needs of these times is for simple and inexpensive yet interesting outdoor sports. One reason the game of horseshoe pitching has attained much popularity of late has been that it is such an easy thing to arrange anywhere.

A few years ago horseshoe pitching was regarded as a kind of rustic sport enjoyed mostly by old timers and country folks, now you find it played at many resort hotels, and the championship tournament at St. Petersburg, Florida, has been an event exciting much interest.

The employes of a shop can set up this sport for noonday enjoyment, or the neighbors can play it in their back yard, and have a famous time and a competition that calls for skill. A game that can so easily be played anywhere is a good thing to encourage.

The more popular American sports call for a good deal of paraphernalia. Baseball needs good sized grounds, and a group of 18 people to play it satisfactorily. Golf calls for a large territory, developed at much expense, and many people won't play it unless there is an elaborate club house. Lawn tennis is the simplest of the more popular games, but even that seems to call now for considerable expense. People used to play it on any smooth spot, but now a court is supposed to have a clay or rather hard foundation and be carefully rolled and marked.

It was one beauty of the old game of croquet, that it could be set up almost anywhere for a minimum of expense. It is still a very good game, but many people think it lacks the thrill of excitement that the American spirit demands. Tennis could be played much more in back yards than it is, if people were not so fussy in demanding perfect conditions.

VETERANS ON THE LAND

The Chamber of Commerce of Canton, Mississippi, and the United States Veterans Bureau, are co-operating to encourage world's war veterans to undertake farming. It is hoped eventually to set up 130 of them with 17,000 acres in that locality. Also the Illinois Central Railroad assists by an agreement for providing pure bred hogs.

The American people have a heavy responsibility toward the veterans, especially those who were disabled. If a large number of them could be settled on good paying farms, thus avoiding the ups an ddowns of factory employment, it would be a happy outcome. Business associations and railroad companies would do well to give them some tangible encouragement, such as the instance reported above.

Congress has adjourned and will rest until next December. For all it did, aside from the passage of the necessary appropriation bills, it might have rested for the last year as well. Among the numerous savings with Congress not in session will be the saving of tons of propaganda mailed daily to the thousands of newspapers of the country for and against the passage of bills before Congress.

There is no stopping place in the march of progress. The town that stops to rest is likely to find itself passed by some other place that didn't stop.

Bring your auto radiators for repairs to Heideman & Leet, E. Side Square.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Real Estate Transfers.

N. B. Moore to M. E. Shockley, part lot 1, blk 12, Maryville, $3,000.

L. A. King to W. E. Hantze, W½ NW 9-65-34, $12,000.

J. L. Woodard to A. L. Nash part NW 8-64-35, $1.00.

A. L. Nash to Arabella Woodard et al part NW 8-64-35, $1.00.

G. T. Jones to V. E. Jones ½ in. in part S½ SE 6-63-35, $1.00.

V. R. Jones to G. T. Jones and wife, ½ int. in part N4, NE 7-63-35, $1.00.

Milt Wilson to Jess Slagle SE SW 11-64-34, $7,000.

Lewis Frampton to A. R. Frampton SW SE 8-64-33, $4,500.

T. J. Lyons to Otis Lyle W½ NE and E½ NW 3-63-36, $29,316.95.

Clarence Pope to V. E. Pope N½ NW 29-66-35, $10,000.

H. O. Turner to C. A. Turner ½ int. in W½ NE fr 33-67-33, $1.00.

C. A. Turner to H. O. Turner ½ int. in E½ NE rr¼ 33-67-33, $1.00.

Oliver Coleman to Jos. Ulmer S½ NE 33-66-35, $12,900.

W. T. Ramsey to W. F. Scott SW 29-65-35, $1.00.

Myrtle Ryan to John Schweibach part SE SE 23-63-34, $1,000.

H. C. Lincoln to W. H. Lawler and wife, E½ lots 3, block 1, McFarland's 1st add. Hopkins, $2,800.

J. H. O'Banion to Fred and John Shank part NW and NW SW 27, part SE 28-64-33, $20,000.

C. R. Harmon to I. E. Brewer lots 5 and 6, block 12 SEx Maryville, $2,400.

C. D. Bailey to Frank Ashworth SE and S 40A NE 6-63-36, $35,000.

A. E. Coffman to H. R. Linneman part NE 14-63-34, $275.

P. L. Meyer to A. N. Meyer and wife S½ SE 4-63-33, $7,600.

Margaret Crownover to Maggie Olmstead block 12, Hopkins, $1200.

J. R. Jones to W. T. Pistole part NW NW 12-66-35, $4,500.

J. F. Hull to O. C. Addy lot 1, block 13, Roseberry add. Maryville, $3,750.

Ruth Turner to Fred Ager SE 28-63-36 $25,600.

T. L. Goff to H. S. Cook W½ SW 23, W½ NW 26, W½ SE NW 26-62-36, $30,000.

T. L. Goff to Wiley Lankford, SE 22-62-36, $24,000.

T. L. Goff to Mike McQuade part SE 24-62-36, $18,000, and one on S½ SE 23-62-36, $12,000.

Wiley Lankford to T. L. Goff S½ SE 23-62-36, $10,000.

F.H. Roney to G. H. Hunter part SW 36-64-36, part NW 1-63-36, part SE SE 35-64-36, E½ NE 2-63-36, $25,000.

Ruth Turner to Walter Williams SE SW 28-64-36 $6,000.

W. W. Potts to P. F. Swinford, SE and S½ NE 27-65-37, $38,000.

G. H. Hunter to L. J. Roney NW SE 1-63-36, $6,400.

J. M. Palmer to Samuel Davis S½ N½ NE and S½ NE NW and NW NW 36-66-37, $1.00.

City of Maryville to Truman Lloyd, lot 1, block 23, NW add Oak Hill cemetery, $22.

G. H. Hunter to F. H. Roney NE and NE¾ SE 36-63-36, $32,000.

W. H. Cumpston to S. L. McKibban lot 11, blk 44, Stephenson add Maryville, $3,500.

Jos. Jackson et al to L. A. King, W½ NW and NE NE 8-64-34, $16,000.

E. C. Culp to Arthur Collins part NW NE 19-64-36, $1,500.

J. F. Suetterlin to T. H. Thompson N½ SE and NE SW 26-63-35, $30,000.

Ed F. Russell to S. J. Cort part NW 19-64-35, $27,520.

A. S. Kennedy et al to W. T. Throckmorton part E½ SE 18, part NW 17-62-34, $15,000.

W. O. Garrett to Verne Wray lots 7 and 8, block 3, Robinson's 2nd add. Maryville, $4,600.

Albert Carr to Nancy Moore E¾ S ½ NE 17-63-35, $13,500.

W. H. Morrow to C. P. Anderson E ½ SE and SE 26-65-27, $1.00.

L. S. Yeo to Ira Mozingo part NW NE P 17-64-35, $2850.

Alex Laughlin to C. A. Wilson and wife part NW 21-62-33, $15,000.

N. Long to F. S. West E½ NE 5-64-34 $1050.

Vivian Sowder to Anna Stauble part lots 5 and 6 block 44, Stephenson's add to Maryville, $3250.

Alex Laughlin to H. Laughlin N½ SE 16-62-33, $10,000.

Ada McCollum to L. U. Houston int. in E½ SW and SE NW 2-65-37, $8,000.

J. L. Partridge et al to P. J. Lyons N¾ NW and NW 36-64-36, $27,500.

H. S. Kelley to W. H. Morrow W½ NE and E½ NW, E½ W½ NW 11-64-35, $1.00.

P. J. Lyons to J. L. Partridge et al lot part 2 W B Prather's add Maryville, $8,000.

L. T. McKibban to Calvin McKibban et al S½ SE 32-64-35, $3,000.

W. W. Spurlock to R. N. Barber part SE 36-66-38, $16,500.

J. S. Hamm to E. L. McGinty NE 16-66-37, $1.00.

F. C. Gaa to E. F. Archer S½ SE and part SE 27-63-34, $1,800.

J. C. Davis to E. A. Nelson and wife, part lot 6, NB Maryville, $2,000.

Nathan Reid to Lola Reid et al, I. J. McMillen S½ SE 33-67-34, $12,160.

H. W. Long to Mike McQuade S½ SE 33-62-36, $10,000.

J. I. Jones to N. B. Shrewsbury, SW SE 29-64-36, $6,000.

J. M. Vert to G. F. Adams and wife W½ SW 32-65-36, $10,000.

E. A. Pence to Gladys Brown, lots 2 and 7, blk 5, Clearmont $1000.

M. T. Ainsworth to W. D. Hoshor, SE 5-62-35, $16,000.

P. F. Swinford to C. D. Bailey SE 20-64-36, $29,600.

Leroy McMillen to Joseph Norman part SW NW part SW 3-66-37, N½ NW 10-66-37, $1.00.

G. E. Martin to J. A. Martin part SW and part SE 18-62-33, $1.00.

J. A. Martin to G. E. Martin W½ NE and E½ NW 12, S½ NE SW SE 3-62-34, $1.00.

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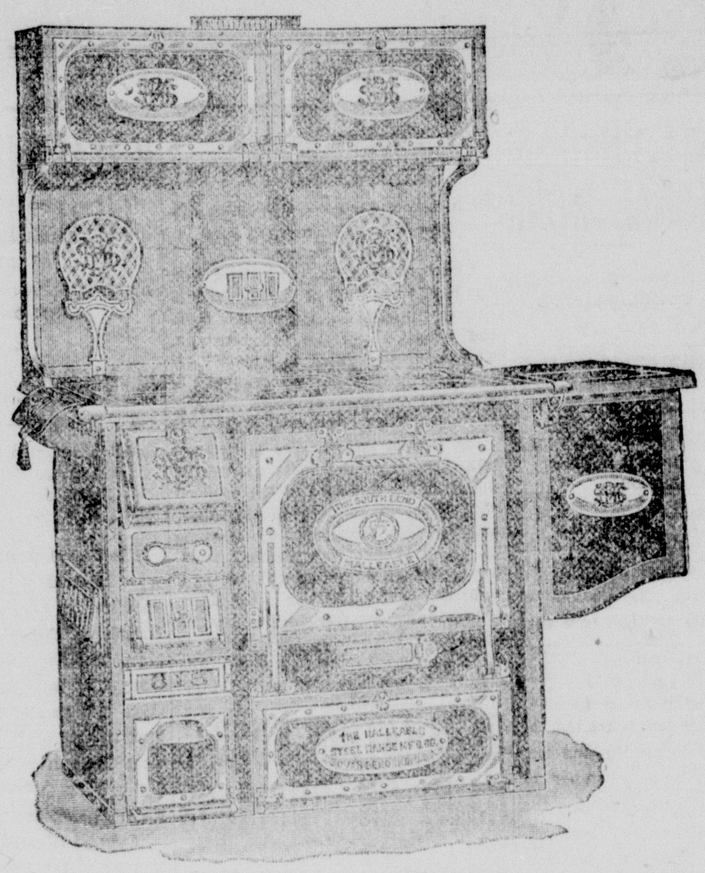

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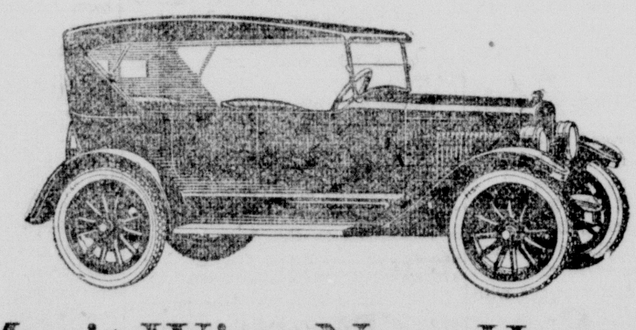

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Society

Club Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Penelope Club, which was announced for tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sam Townsend, has been indefinitely postponed.

Mrs. Toel Hostess

The La Tarde Bridge Club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Toel on East Thompson street. Besides the club members the guests will include Mrs. J. F. Colby, Mrs. E. G. Orear and Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker.

Miss Maxwell's Marriage Announced

Mrs. Anna B. Maxwell, Maxwell heights, announces the marriage of her daughter, Laura Marie, to William L. Ames, Saturday afternoon in Kansas City.—St. Joseph Gazette.

The bride is a registered nurse and has practiced in Maryville at intervals during the last two years.

Club Elects Officers

The Art Club of the State Teachers College held its first meeting of the quarter last night at the home of Miss Carrie E. Hopkins on West Lincoln street. The following officers were elected for the spring term: Miss Elvira Ward, president; Miss Miriam Gray, vice president; Miss Augusta Quell, secretary, and Miss Letha Sutterfield, treasurer. The rest of the time was spent in reed work.

Return from Columbia

Mrs. C. W. Yehle and Mrs. J. F. Hull returned last night from Columbia where they were guests over the week end of their sons, Ralph Yehle and Ray Hull, students at the University of Missouri, at the Phi Kappa Psi chapter house. The fraternity members entertained Saturday night at the chapter house in honor of the mothers who spent the week end in Columbia. Eugene Yehle, who accompanied them, also returned home last night.

Mission Study Class.

The Mission Study Class of the M. E. Church, South, met last night at the church. The subject under discussion was "The Distinctive Opportunity in India." Mrs. B. W. Loomis, the leader, gave a talk on India's outcasts. She said, "The greatest charge against Hinduism is that for more than two thousand years it has confined a sixth of India's people to unrelieved degradation. The religion of these low cast people has developed little beyond their original animism. Belief in spirits saturates their thought. Most of these are malignant and treacherous so that religion is summed up in an attempt to pacify them." She spoke of manifold disabilities, such as exclusion from water supplies, public roads, public markets and public places of worship; also of the man mortgage system, right to attend government school, the mass movement in Christianity and our opportunity for helping India. The discussion following was led by Mrs. James Hiatt as to how these mass movements in Christianity were brought about and the results. In the discussion it was brought out that all the political parties in India are now pledged to the elevation of the depressed classes.

Forumettes

Happiness more often
Depends on the
Interior than it
Does on the exterior.

Why should we criticize people for talking about things of which they know nothing? Bryan has been doing it for 30 years.

Our idea of an unkind friend is the fellow who sends some book agent or stock salesman to us with the introduction that he thought we would be interested.

Uncle Abner says you generally find rich relatives make mighty poor picking.

It has been a long time since we saw an umbrella-to-mend man on the streets.

Now that Washington's birthday is out of the way, many stores are displaying St. Patrick's and Easter novelties. You can always tell the holiday next in order by watching the displays.

There is nothing older than the announcement of last night's movies.

The average man is too often prone to attribute the success of others to sheer luck.

We passed an acquaintance on Main street the other day. "Awfully nice day," he remarked. Surely some of our expressions will bear inspections.

All of us can remember when the cake walk was one of the popular forms of amusement. When many a dusky lad and damsel won the first prize by their agile movements.

Louise, the stenographer, says a lot of fellows who are getting ahead in this world will find they are getting behind in the next.

There is one thing certain a lot of men are failures because they give their time to other people's business and neglect their own.

My how times change! An undertaker buried our grandfather but we suppose a mortician will put us in the ground.

In reference to the little squib we had in this column about the ten books we would select if we were suddenly exiled to some deserted island, a reader suggests that an old Chicago mail order house catalogue would prove interesting.

When Spring comes around we would like to have some one tell us how the birds find out who in town buys the garden seeds.

Have you ever noticed how many smart things you can think of to say after you have taken your seat when called on for a talk at some gathering?

Vagrant Musings.

Just pick up a few horseshoes along the highway with a new tire and you will cease to bemoan the passing of Old Dobbin.

We all have habits but it seems that the other fellow has all the bad ones.

The swift seldom win the race of life.

If everybody has it in for you the chances are that you deserve it.

"WILL O WISP" IS WELL PRESENTED AT HIGH SCHOOL

"The Will o the Wisp" was presented at the high school this afternoon, by the dramatic club. It was a one-act play, and was very well presented. There were four characters in the play, and all o fthe parts were well acted. This is the first number to be given by the Dramatic Club, and it is probable that they will give some more plays. Miss Alma Lucas has charge of the club, and she manages it very well.

Busy Blind Man Always Happy.

A man named Walters of Maryborough, Australia, has been blind since early childhood, and here's his record: Hospital president, town councillor for many years, member of water commission, conductor of Anglican choir, brilliant Shakespearean scholar, keen crib player, and the most cheerful person in the town.

Mammoth Pencil.

Possibly the biggest blacklead pencil ever made was that exhibited at Durham, England, some years ago. This mammoth pencil was 15 feet in length and 11 inches in circumference, whilst the diameter of the lead itself was an inch and a half. Its manufacturer sold it for $1,250.

Freak Way of Cutting Teeth.

A little girl in a western town was over a year old, and not one tooth. She was terribly cross for two weeks, then she became quieter, and it was discovered that she had cut two big molars but not a front tooth. She cut four back teeth in all, and then went on to get the front ones.

Grotesque Suicide.

Two middle-aged men, twins, were found dead hanging to a tree at Borham, Me. Their hands were clasped in a grotesque farewell. The police declare it one of the queerest cases on record.

Mt. Vernon School News

An oyster supper was given by the Farmers Union at the Mt. Vernon school house Monday evening. Plans were made for a program to be given sometime in March.

A surprise was given on Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barton Tuesday, February 27th. They will now reside on a farm north of Gaynor.

Jim Wilder moved from the Charley Thompson farm to the John Brown farm, Wednesday, February 28th.

Mr. Miles Bowers gave a closing out sale March 1st with the intentions of moving to Bedford, Iowa.

Miss Irene Aley and Richard Chaney were married at Maryville Tuesday February 27th and they now will reside on a farm east of Hopkins.

Cloud Edwin Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Clark was born February 14 and after living four days quietly passed away at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cloud Hall. It was laid to rest in the Hopkins cemetery, February 19. Short funeral services being conducted at the grave by Rev. C. E. Wright.

BLOOMFIELD ITEMS.

Alvin Gray moved from the Ernest Bainum farm to the Anna Hornbuckle farm, three and a half mile southeast of Pickering.

Charley McClurg moved to the Ernest Bainum farm, south of Pickering.

Glade Wiley moved from a farm southwest of Pickering to the B. C. Clayton farm, three miles south of Pickering.

Dale Wiley is moving from the Ira Thompson farm to the Harry Lazenby farm.

Miss Frankin and her teachers training class from the College visited at Bloomfield Friday, Feb. 23.

W. R. Morrow, Earl McClurg, Marvin McNeal and George Hantze attended the sale of C. T. Barrow Wednesday.

George Hantze was slightly injured when a load of hay upset with him last week.

A few farmers have started their spring farming.

The members of the agriculture class are busy sewing this week.

Most of the pupils are back in school this week after a tussle with the flu.

There is no place like home when you are sick.

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March 4, 1818—Adoption of the official United States Flag, the Stars and Stripes.

March 14, 1794—Patent granted Eli Whitney for his Cotton Gin, bringing prosperity to the South.

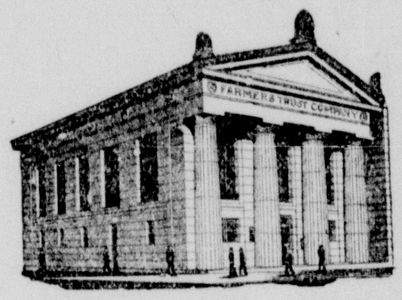
March 25, 1609—Hendrick Hudson sailed in "Half Moon" from Holland—eventually discovering the Hudson River.

March 27, 1513—Ponce de Leon, in search for Fountain of Eternal Youth, discovered Florida.

March 28, 1918—Foch made Commander of Allied Armies.

March 30, 1867—Alaska ceded by Russia to United States for $7,200,000.

March will also mark an important event in your personal history, if you open an account with us.



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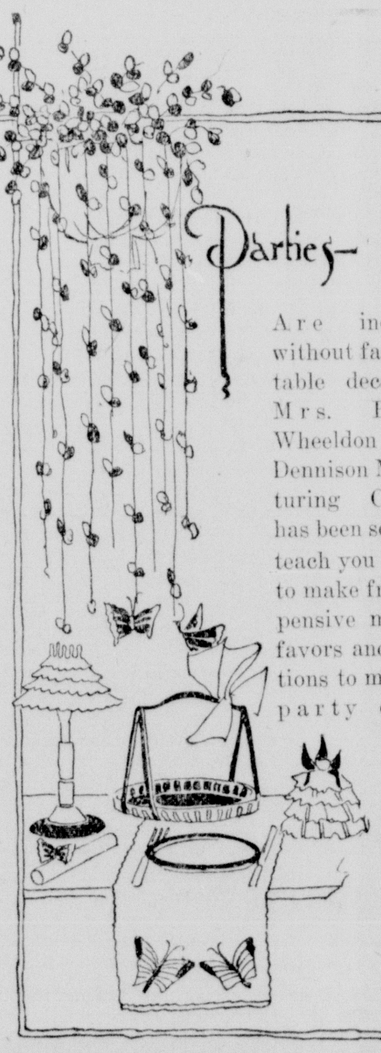

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Paper flowers, costumes, party favors, decorations, party hats, lamp shades and art goods. Rope weaving, basket weaving, and work in art wax will also be taught free.

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Mrs. Charles Kempf and children, Loyd, Marie and Ethel, spent Saturday and Sunday, the guests of their grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Galbraith and Miss Stella Galbraith, at their home, 223 East Seventh street.

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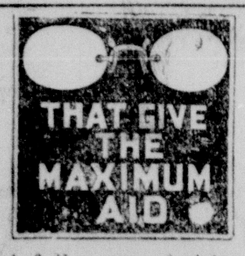

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"Wash" Crosby's Chance

"Of all the sad words of tongue or pen,
the saddest are these, it might have been."

How often we quote these lines when some happening comes to our notice—one o flife's tragedies, that might never have occurred, if only things had been just a little different at a critical time.

I thought of them when the Delco-Light Dealer told me the story of old Wash Crosby and the Delco-Light plant. It happened that things came out all right in the end, after years of unnecessary hardship and suffering—but let the Dealer tell it, the way he told it to me:

I tried to sell Old Crosby over five years ago, the same time I sold Bob Harris, his neighbor. Bob was a young fellow, married only a couple of years and in debt a little on his farm.

But he loved his wife and year-old baby and he told me, "I'm going to work hard here. I've got to do it. But I'm not going to let my wife slave and drudge in the house. She's going to have as good equipment for her work as I've got outside, and I'll work better for knowing that she's got things easy and comfortable in the house."

Old Crosby laughed when I told him what Harris said.

"He'd better be gettin' his debts paid before he goes to buyin' lightin' plants. He needs money a whole lot more than his wife needs electricity."

"But you don't owe a dollar," I told the old man. I guess he was about sixty-five. His wife was five or six years younger, but she bore the marks of hard work in her stooped form, hardened hands and wrinkled face. "You don't owe a dollar," I insisted, thinking of that worn old wife, "and you can well afford to put some money in equipment that will make things easier for Mrs. Crosby. She's held up her end for a good many years, made a good partner, and she's certainly entitled to enjoy the same modern conveniences other men are buying for their wives. You can afford them; she ought to have them; why not buy them?"

The old man gave me a shy look and, without seeming to have considered my plea in his wife's behalf, told me confidentially that there was a chance to buy a piece of land that adjoined his farm, and he was going to take it in.

"How much land do you own now?" I asked.

"I've got, let's see," he commenced to add up, half to himself, "there's eighty, and forty, and forty, and twenty-five—one hundred and eighty-five acres," he announced presently.

"And I suppose you've made every dollar yourself that went into it," said I, quoting the usual formula.

"Every dollar," agreed the old man, swelling up a little pridefully.

"Don't you think Mrs. Crosby contributed about half of all you've made since you've lived here together?"

"No, I don't. I do the farming here, sir. She just does the housework."

"Which includes cookin gfor the hired men, doing the family washing, churning, looking after the milk from ten cows, doing—I don't know how much of the milking—looking after the poultry and spending her idle moments looking after the garden. I suppose raising ten children has just been a sort of little pastime for her, something to keep time from hanging too heavy on her hands while you were doing the hard work."

"There was twelve children," the old man corrected me solemnly, "but three died. Only nine living."

"And the nine are all at home, helping Mother and you?"

"No, there's only the two youngest at home. The others struck out for themselves as soon as they was big enough to earn a day's wages."

"Any of them farming?" I knew this was touching the old man at a tender point, but I pushed the question at him, just the same.

"Not a single one!" You could tell from the way he said this that the old man felt hurt and couldn't understand why he hadn't a flock of children around him to make things easy for him in his declining years.

"Well," I told him, "you can thank your lucky stars that your wife hasn't left you, too. You don't realize, Mr. Crosby, that in your anxiety to get ahead you've been considerable of a driver and have called on those around you for more than they felt they could give you. Your children got away as soon as they could and so escaped your driving. You haven't meant to be hard on your wife, perhaps, but according to the standards of today, you aren't giving her a fair show. Farmers are seeing to it, more and more, nowadays, that their wives have just as good equipment to work with in the house as they themselves have outside.

"I guess there isn't anybody has any more up-to-date equipment than you have for your work, is there, Mr. Crosby?" I asked him.

"I always aim to have the best," he swaggered a little.

"And I guess Mrs. Crosby would have to have a good many new conveniences before her department in this farm partnership came up to yours," I told him.

But the old man could not appreciate that his wife's part was anything more than an incident in his own business. He wouldn't even stop to consider the suggestion that she had any rights or any desires of her own, or that she needed any modern comforts inside the house.

He brushed all that away and told me, finally, "I never lose the chance to buy a few more acres of good dirt, if it lays right. "Land," he explained, "is something that stays with you. The feller that owns a few acres of good land is farther away from the poorhouse than the one that spends his money for modern conveniences."

"Have you ever considered that there are worse things than the poorhouse?" I asked him, thinking of his lonely home and overworked wife.

"Not for me," he waggled his old head stubbornly, "I'm going to buy more land."

That was in August. Along in November, poor old Mrs. Crosby slipped over to Bob Harris one afternoon, to visit with Mrs. Harris a little while. While she was sitting talking, he was taken sick—just collapsed, it seemed. They sent for Crosby and the doctor. The doctor ordered that she be kept quiet in bed for a few days and Nell Harris, Bob's wife, said she should stay right there with her.

The old lady was worse than they thought, I guess. The doctor came to see her several times and she didn't improve worth a cent. Old Crosby was looking in regularly, too, urging her to get well and come back home. He couldn't find a hired girl, and I guess he was getting a different idea from what he had ever had before about what his wife's housework amounted to.

One morning he went over to Harris' and, without stopping to knock, he stepped into the living room, as he usually did on these visits to his wife.

The doctor was in the room where his wife lay, just off the living room, and he could hear them talking. Or at least Mrs. Crosby was talking.

Evidently the doctor had told her she was going to get well or she wasn't going to get well, Old Crosby could'nt tell which. But he heard her say, "I tell you I don't want to get well. I'm wore out, tired to death, and I can't go back home and do again what I've had to do all these years.

"Here at Harris'," she went on, "they don't have to work like I did, somehow. Why, Mrs. Harris finds time to come in here and visit with me and she never seems tired. I suppose its because she got these electric lights and washing machine and running water in the kitchen, so she never has to carry any. She don't have to sweep, either, for she's got an electric sweeper.

"But oh, dear, there'll never be anything like that at our house. I've just given up. I can't go back, I can't go back!"

Crosby didn't see Mrs. Harris, who was standing behind him and had heard every word. He seemed to kind of shrink up, she said, and he pulled his old hat, that he had been twisting in his hands, down over his head, and he slipped out of the door and was gone.

He came to see me. "I want you to put a Delco-Light plant and water system, like Harris in my house," he said. "I'm afraid my wife's going to die, and I want it fixed up. If she gets well it'll be a kind of surprise for her."

I looked him straight in the eye. "I won't put any lighting plant in," I told him, "until we know that Mrs. Crosby's going to get well. If she gets well, we'll put it in. If she doesn't, I don't want you to have the conveniences she's needed so long. I want to see you trying to keep hired help there in that kitchen you're wife had to stay in. You had a chance five years ago, Mr. Crosby, to put in your Delco-Light plant and save your wife's life, to say nothing of saving her there five years of hard work. You had your chance then," I said, "but you bought land. You just had to make sure that you wouldn't land in the poorhouse. I asked you then if there wasn't something worse than the poorhouse and you said, 'Not for me!' I think you see now what I meant, don't you?"

He shook his head hopelessly. I commenced to feel half sorry for the old man, and I said, "If I were you, though, I'd go and tell Mrs. Crosby that if she would get well and come back home, I'd put in lights and running water and fix the home over just the way she wanted it. It might help her to have that to think about."

"By gum I'll tell her that," Old Crosby said. "and I'll do it, too." That sounded like what he told his wife and what he did, sometimes were two different things, but anyway he went away with his head up and his old eye shining with the light of about the best resolution he had made, I guess, in a good many years.

Here my friend smiled reminiscently and pulled on his gloves as though that were the end of the story.

"Hold on!" I reminded him, "there are a couple of unimportant details you have overlooked. Did the old lady get well? And did he put in Delco-Light and all the other conveniences?"

"Oh, sure, she got well! As a matter of fact, I had seen the doctor before Crosby saw me that day and I knew she would get well when the old man and I were talking. And the lighting plant! You bet he put it in, and a water system, washing machine, power stand, vacuum sweeper, good-looking fixtures—there wasn't anything too good to put in that house.

Business Men Start Gym Work Tonight At The College

ST. JOE TRUNKS IN GAME HERE TONITE

WILL PLAY THE MARYVILLE INDEPENDENTS.

HILLYARDS HERE MAYBE?

An Effort Being Made to Schedule a Game With the St. Joseph Team Composed of National Stars.

Patrons of basketball, who have been following the State Teachers College Bearcats with interest all season, will be given their final opportunity tonight of seeing that team in action. Playing under the name of the Maryville Independents and under the auspices of the Oxford Club of the Methodist Church, the game tonight will probably be the last in which the combination of Miller, Leech, Blomfield, Kirby and Ellis will work together.

Miller and Leech will both leave the College this year and next year their places will be filled by new men.

The game tonight will be between the above mentioned five and the St. Joseph Trunk Co. This team, one of the strongest in St. Joseph, battled to the finals of the city tournament. On the team are some of the best known players of the city. "Dutch" Mueller, former Central High star, is playing a regular forward position and Scott and Kastner, last year's Hillyard guards, are both in the line-up that will start tonight.

The game will be played at the Maryville High School gymnasium and will start at 8 o'clock. "Shorty" Lawrence, the high school coach, will call the fouls and he promises to "call" 'em close and speed her up.'

Earlier in the story it was said that this game would probably be the last for the Maryville five. That "probably" was put in because there is just one chance in a million that another game will be played.

A certain promoter (name unknown) is now in communication with the St. Joseph Hillyards, trying to match them with the former College five. There is a big element of doubt that the deal will ever be consummated, but that promoter (name still unknown) is trying to give the fans of Maryville a chance to see a team, that will go high in the national tourney this year, in action.

On the Hillyard line-up are such national stars as DeBerhardi, Rody and Reif and a number of other players such as Allen, Giltner and Dorough, who stand high in the list all over the country.

If this game is played the high school gymnasium floor will likely support more actual weight than ever in its short life for the followers of the game will flock to the doors—maybe.

Movie Team Enters National Tourney

Larry Semon, Comedian, Will Bring Silver Screen Cagers to Kansas City Next Monday.

Larry Semon, motion picture comedian, has entered a basketball team in the National tournament to be held at Kansas City beginning next Monday. Semon has rounded together the best basketball players of filmland and the team, captained by Max Gold, former Los Angeles A. C. star, wired yesterday that they would be in Kansas City for the tourney.

This new entry, backed by the entire movie colony, makes the eighteenth entry for the tourney.

W. E. Goforth visited in Bolckow between trains this morning with his father, J. H. Goforth, who has been very ill since last Friday.

THE MARYVILLE HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM.

—Photo by Carpenter.

Reading left to right—Top row: Miss Lois Nash, coach; Loretta Jones, Merea Williams, Roberta Cook, Dorothy Dow, Fern Murray, Laura Margaret Raines, Faye Hornbuckle, Mildred New, Alice O'Banion and Hazel Frede.

The High School Girls Team, Although Small In Size, Ends A Fairly Successful Cage Season

The Maryville High School girls have finished their basketball season with the exception of the tournament which they will enter at the State Teachers College Friday and Saturday of this week. Although they didn't win the majority of their games they had a successful season as far as the total number of points scored. During the eight games played the opposing teams scored a total of 137 points while the Maryville girls ran up a total of 107 points.

At the beginning of the season Miss Nash, the coach had to develop a practically new team. This she started out to do and the efforts that her girls have made in the season are not to be belittled.

Of the girls on the team Mildred New, the captain and jumping center was undoubtedly the best player. She had the old original fight all the time and played the game as a captain should.

The two forwards, Laura Margaret Raines and Dorothy Dow, showed up next best perhaps. Although they met a series of good guards this season they managed to keep the scoring end of the game going. It might be well to mention that in almost every game it was the size of the forwards that hurt. They invariably went up against guards that were taller and heavier and this counts a lot.

It was in the guard position that Miss Nash was probably weakest. With only one of last years guards back she had to develop a defensive player to team with Alice O'Banion. This place was divided between Faye Hornbuckle and Roberta Cook. Of the two the latter was perhaps the better guard. Miss Hornbuckle was good also but she had a tendency to make too many personal fouls and this was a detriment to the team.

At running center Fern Murray, although also diminutive, played a scrappy game all season. She had not had the experience necessary for a real good player but in another year she should show them all up.

Loretta Jones at a forward, Merea Williams and Hazel Frede at centers, were good substitutes. Although not quite fast enough to make the first six they all played at times during the season and they will all make good players next year.

About the best way to sum up the Maryville High School girls is to say that they are "The best little team in the town."

Business Men To Start Campaign Against An Excess of Avidupois At College Gyminasium Tonight

"If the class will please come to attention and quit heaving those dumbells at one another I will proceed to call roll."

Ten to one that those words or something like them will be heard at the State Teachers College gymnasium tonight at 7:30 o'clock, because at that time school will begin with the business men of Maryville, part of them at least, as the first-day-of-school pupils and Coach E. A. Maynor of the College as the fearless pedagogue, firmly resolved to inflict some learnin' on his subjects.

In other words, tonight at the above mentioned hour the first class of a series of lessons in gymnastics will be given for the benefit of the business and professional men of the town. This series of classes, which will meet twice a week all through the month of March, will be for the purpose of limbering up the men and putting them in shape for the summer that is on the way.

Coach Maynor has said that when the spring comes and it begins to get warmer out of doors, 90 percent of the business men of towns and cities find that during the winter they have picked up an excess amount of avoirdupois and that for about a month they feel too heavy and too puffy around the belt. This is a natural thing but it can be overcome easily. By taking the right kind of exercise this fat can be worked away so that when the warm weather comes the poor tired business man may feel just as poor when the day is done but he won't feel nearly so tired.

And the panacea. It is the gymnasium class in which the men play and at the same time work themselves into a normal state again.

In this class Coach Maynor will give a variety of different things. For instance, an evening of class work may include some boxing, wrestling, volley ball, calesthentics, setting-up exercises and maybe a little running. Of course all of this would not be in one nights work right at the first but Maynor promises that if the men do as he says that before the month is up they can do all of it "and a little bit more."

A number of men have signified their intention of being at the College tonight and if all of them show up it will necessitate the forming of two sessions to the class. On will meet at 7:30 and the other an hour later.

The only requirement for entrance to the class is a pair of gymnasium shoes. The floor of the College gym is not made of soft pine and hob nails will not be in order. No siree—rubber soles and heels or witness it from the balcony.

Gym suits are also recommended but any light clothing that will give plenty of room for the play of the muscles will doubtless be allright.

Christians Win From Presbyterians 20-13

At the high school gymnasium last night, in a game refereed by John Smith, the Christian church basketball team won from the Presbyterian cagers by a score of 20 to 13. In a preliminary the Presbyterian seconds won from the Christian seconds by a score of 14 to 3.

The line-ups: Christians, Wilson and Strong, forwards; Neal, center; Potty and Whaley, guards. Presbyterians—Kuns and Tindall, forwards; England, center; Hepburn and Colbert, guards.

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FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattle Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE stoves furniture and rugs, Case Furniture Exchange. J23tf

FOR SALE—Parts for all kinds of implements. Largest stock in northwest Missouri. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. J 29tf

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Telephone batteries and hot shots. Holt Supply Co. 1-12

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FOR SALE—Corn, hay and oats. Farmers 46-19. 2-8*

For mites I'll use Carbolineum. It lasts a year. Holt Supply Co. M3tf

FOR SALE—Sloan, Jonathan, Ben Davis, and Jenetting apples. Deliver to all parts of city. Albert C. Mart, Farmers 2-21. 5-7*

FOR SALE—four thorough-bred white brood sows. Farrow fore-part of this month. Chas. A. Holt. 5-7*

FOR SALE—Reed baby carriage in good condition. Call Hanamo 329. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Household goods at my residence, 322 W. 7th. 6tf

FOR SALE—Alfalfa, first and third cuttings, $17. Timothy and clover, first cuttings, $15; second cuttings, $9. H. C. Keever, two miles northwest of town. Farmers 30-14. 6-8*

FOR SALE—Household goods. 510 N. Fillmore St. 6-8*

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—phone me if you have horses or mules for sale and I will call and invoice them, and I have good farm mares and mules for sale or exchange for geldings. I guarantee all representations. Jim Andy Ford. F8tf.

WANTED—A waitress at Turner's Cafe. 3-6

WANTED—Girl for general housework, good wages, no laundry work. Mrs. Albert H. Ehrlick, 201 South 17th St., St. Joseph, Mo. 5-7

FOR RENT—Rooms with or without light housekeeping. Farmers phone 119. 1103 N. Mulberry. 5-7*

WANTED—A woman to do house work part of time. Call 555. 6-8

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished rooms. Hanamo 4706. 6-8*

REDUCED PRICES on all lines of furniture and stoves during March Moving Week. "Largest stock of used furniture in Northwest Missouri." Case Furniture Co. 2-8

FOR RENT—Rooms at 220 South Saunders. 3-6*

STORAGE RATES—Cars by month, $3.50; school cars by month, $3.00; trucks by month, $5; trucks, night, by month, $4; truck, day, by month, $3; trucks, by day, 30c; trucks, by night, 40c; cars by day, 25c; cars by night, 30c; cars all day and night, 50c hour storage, 1 to 2, 15c; from 2 to 4 hours, 20c; live storage in basement, per month, $3; dead storage in basement, per month, $2; Miller tires on sale. Come in and see them. If you see them it means you will buy them. Keever's Garage, 209 E. Fourth St. 3-9

TO WANT ADV. PATRONS.

The Democrat-Forum has been accepting want and small classified advertisements over the telephone as a matter of accomodation, but some of our patrons have not appreciated this service. Please bear in mind that these small ads are cash business and that, when they are accepted over the telephone, it is only as a matter of accommodation and with the understanding that payment for same will be brought or sent to this office within three days. The amounts are too small to justify the opening of an account or sending out collectors. (tf)

FOR RENT—Rooms, close in. 704 N. Main, Hanamo 4686. 3-6

FOR RENT—Southeast room in modern home. Ed Hamlin, Hanamo 5579. 3-6.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. 269 W. 4th. Hanamo 260. 5-7*

FOR RENT—Furnished room for girls, 422 S. Vine So. 6-8*

FOR RENT—Modern 10 room house garage and large garden. See or call Oren N. Lanning. M.1tt

Poultry

Pure Bred S. C. Reds Hatching eggs, the kind that lays, weighs and pays. Dark red utility flock, $4.00 per 100. Standard bred pens, mated with high scoring cockerels, pen No. 1, $10.00 per 100. Pen No. 2 $7 per 100. Order baby chicks—satisfaction guaranteed.

Mrs. Ed Shreve, Pickering

FOR SALE—S. C. R. I. Reds setting eggs, Thompson strain, $1 per setting. N. H. Brown, 422 West First. St. M1-A-

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, $12.00 per 100; any day of week after March 20. Groves' Hatchery, Skidmore, Mo. 5-17

FOR SALE—Pure bred Rose Comb R. I. Red eggs for hatching. Mrs. Lawrence Frazee, Farmers phone 37-11. 5-7*

FOR SALE—Eggs, Buttercups and Buff Orpington. Two Grand Matings of Buttercups. "The Egg Factory Breed." One mating selected stock Buff Orpingtons. Also a few colonies of Italion Bees for sale.—Dr. E. L. Crowson, Pickering, Mo.

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs, 75c per setting, or $3.50 per 100. Mrs. Albert Watson, Farmers phone 5-15. 5-7*

FOR SALE—Purebred S. C. Brown Leghorn cockerels. Mrs. E. E. Bolin, Arkoe phone. J29tf

HATCHING EGGS—Single Comb Buff Leghorns, bred to lay kind, Smith strain, packed to ship, $6.00 per 100, $5.00 per 100 at farm. Mrs. E. Wayne Gray, Sheridan, Mo., Route 3. M.1-A.12

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington eggs for hatching 60c per setting $3.50 per 100. Chas. M. Massie, Hopkins. Pickering Phone. 2-7*.

R. I. RED—Hatching eggs. $3.50 per hundred. Mrs. G. W. Cain, Pickering. F. 16-M. 16*

FOR SALE—Plymouth Barred Rock eggs, 75c per setting, $3.00 for 100. Mrs. Lester Lyle, Hanamo 3L. 3-6

Pure bred S. C. R. R. eggs for hatching range flock, $5.00 per 100, shipped prepaid, or $3.50 at home. Pens, $5.00; $2.50 per setting. These birds taking first pen and also sweepstakes on two highest scoring females in show room. Mrs. Homer Thompson, Conception Jct., Mo. 6-14*

FOR SALE—White Pekin drakes, $1.00 each. Mrs. R. J. Sawyers, Farmers 8-12. 6-8

Orders taken for baby chicks, at reasonable prices. Place your orders early and get choice of hatching season. Mrs. Jake Outs, Barnard, Mo., phone 504. 29-21*

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, March 6—CATTLE—Receipts, 16,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 50,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 16,000.

St. Louis, March 6—CATTLE—Receipts, 4,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 14,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000.

Kansas City, March 6—CATTLE—Receipts, 11,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 16,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 8,000.

St. Joseph, March 8—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,250.
HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; top, $8.25.
SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000.
Hogs 15 cents lower.

TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, per doz.	21c
Butterfat, per lb.	42c
Hens, per lb	17c
Springs, per lb.	11 to 16c
Roosters, per lb.	5c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese, per lb.	11c
Hides, per lb.	8c

Notice

All persons owing me for Jack and Horse services please call and settle. J. L. Neal, Pickering. 5-10*

Loren Long, editor of the Ravenwood Gazette, and J. S. Casteel of Ravenwood were business visitors in Maryville yesterday.

NEWS FROM THE PLEASANT VALLEY BROADCASTING STATION

D. No. 71.

Life is too precious to spend half of it worrying about the rest of it. So come, let us pattern after James Whitcomb Riley, who says: "Smile the while and while you smile you meet a smile and after while there will be miles and miles of smiles 'cause you smile." Do we ever smile? Well, I should say we do. Otherwise we couldn't live up to our name, "Pleasant Valley." And I must confess that Monday we all smiled the "smiliest" smile we've smiled since last week. Our faithful fifteen which was decreased to thirteen, increased Monday to eighteen. The five new pupils were, Dorris, Clifford, Mildred and Maxine Walker, and Jay Nickerson. It certainly was a pleasant occurrence to have the increase, too.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Crane were Maryville visitors Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Reed were visitors at the home of R. H. Black and family.

Ellen and Neva Stafford, both daughters of J. O. Stafford, were visitors at the home of Orla and Marjorie Merrett, daughters of Jess Merriett, last Saturday.

The Pig club members of the Burlington Junction Pig club will meet in Burlington Junction next Saturday.

Robert Nicholas, a student of the Pleasant Valley school, and also a Pig club member, announced the birth of eight fine Duroc Jersey pigs last Friday.

The farm of W. E. Nicholas, Jr., is well guarded these days, owing to the fact that Mrs. Nicholas has twenty-one spring chickens which are almost large enough to fry.

The M. E. Bible Class met at the home of Mrs. Alton Logan Wednesday, February 28. There were eight members present. Some were absent on account of illness.

Rose Hill School

Many people in our community are sick with the "flu" and the grippe and some are serious while others are not. There are at least twenty persons sick in a small area.

There are not many people moving in our community as most everyone owns a farm. The total number of families are four and one of them, Harry Coulter, has his farm but has rented it out and is renting Tom Coulter's, his father's. The one leaving this farm is Byron Estes who has been running it for George Swaney.

The teacher of our school or Rose Hill was boarding with Mr. Estes, so she had to move, too. She is now boarding with Mr. Fred Coulter, who just moved in a little house up on a large hill, about a quarter of a mile south of the school house. Two of these families are leaving the community while one is entering and the other just changing to a farm nearer.

There has been quitea few sales of late, but I have attended one, that of George Swaney on the farm that Byron Estes was running for him. There will be a sale held at Mrs. Evans' Monday, March the fifth. Two days later at Mrs. Ambrose who lives near the school. The house and barns of the later are directly east of the school house. The lane running to this house goes east just on the north end of the school ground which is a portion of their land.

Just a Bit of News from Evans

Claude Walter and family of Papillion, Nebraska, visited at the home of his father J. T. Walter last week.

Hugh Colwell shelled corn for John Blackford last week.

Mr. Frank Young and family motored to Council Bluffs Friday to spend the week end with his father.

Isaac Coler moved from his farm in Evans district to his farm near Savannah last week. George Williams will farm the Coler farm this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ripley were callers at the home of her mother Saturday morning.

Mrs. Loren Reed and Mrs. Frank Young were visitors at the John Blackford home Thursday afternoon.

Most of the "flu" patients are better.

Rose Burch moved to the Myrtle Dillon farm. John Dicus moved on the farm vacated by Mr. Burch.

Mrs. W. T. Garrett, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Jennie Garrett, left this morning for Des Moines, Ia., to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry A. Foster, for several weeks.

Thull Baby Ill at Hospital

The three-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thull of Pickering, who is ill of flu, was brought to St. Francis Hospital yesterday noon for treatment. The baby's condition was slightly improved today.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for the sympathy shown us during the sickness and death of our loving wife and mother. Also for the beautiful flowers.

P. A. Evans,
Mrs. Manning Moore.

CUT FLOWERS

Sweet Peas 50c per dozen; 3 dozen for $1.00; Carnations $2 per dozen; Snapdragons $1.50 to $2.50 per dozen; Roses $5 per dozen; Narcissus $1.75 per dozen. Plenty of Lilies, etc. Design work a specialty.

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PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at the residence of the late Oliver Rickard, 2 miles east of Pickering, Mo., on

Thursday, March 8, 1923

beginning promptly at 1 o'clock p. m., the following articles:

3 Good Milk Cows—All heavy springers and perhaps some of them fresh by day of sale.

4 Yearling Brood Sows—All will farrow in month of March.

The Following Implements and Other Articles—

Ford car; steel hay rake; steel 2-section harrow; sulky plow; McCormick mower; hay rack; corn planter; corn binder; wheat drill; Osborne binder; 14-knife disk; farm wagon; long sled; walking cultivator; 2 hog troughs; 2 stirring plows; stack of oat straw; steel barrel; cream separator; iron kettle; cain hay; furrow openers; check row for corn planter; self feeder; carpenter tools, garden implements and many other small articles.

S. H. KEMP, Clerk.

Usual Terms. R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

CLOSING OUT PUBLIC SALE

Having rented my farm for the coming year, I will hold a closing out sale at the farm, 4½ miles northwest of Ravenwood, 1 mile south and ½ mile west of Harmony Church, on

Thursday, March 8, 1923

beginning at 10 a. m. the following described property, to wit:

5 HEAD OF HORSES—Bay horse 9 years old, weight 1600; black horse 4 years old, wt. 1300; 3-year-old filley; serviceable work horse, wt. 1500, and one road mare.

24 HEAD OF HOGS—Eight head of Poland-China sows and gilts, bred to Hampshire boar to farrow in April; and 16 fall shoats. All these hogs are cholera immune.

13 HEAD OF CATTLE—6 cows giving milk; 6 2-year-old heifers now giving milk, and one 2-year-old heifer, fresh in May.

GRAIN AND HAY—200 bushels of oats, 150 bushels of corn, and 30 shocks of fodder.

15 HEAD OF SHEEP—15 head of Shropshire sheep, part of them recorded.

16 DOZEN CHICKENS—9 dozen pure bred Buff Orpington hens and pullets; 7 dozen purebred White Leghorn pullets, 10 Buff Orpington roosters, and 7 Toulouse geese.

IMPLEMENTS—Schuttler wagon, buggy, mowing machine, 16-inch Case sulky plow, cultivator, old McCormick binder, set of work harness, set of field harness, 100 hedge posts, chicken coops, good lawn mower, etc.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Good Majestic range, good Round Oak heater, telephone, sanitary couch, some chairs, washing machine, and many other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Usual. Lunch by ladies of Harmony Church.

NEWTON MOORE

Col. Chas. Evans, Auct. Platte Valley Bank, Clerk.

Hosmer's Special Stock Sale

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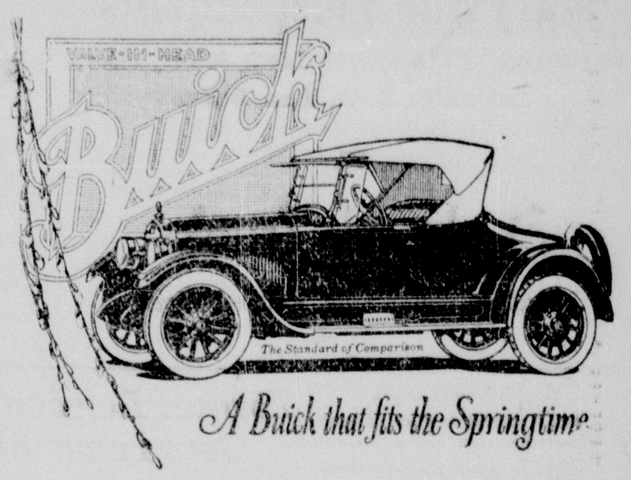

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Maryville, Mo.

PUBLIC SALE

Having rented my land I will sell at the farm 1½ miles east of Pickering, on

Thursday, Mar. 8th

beginning at 10 o'clock

The following property

5 head of horses and mules—Horse 5 years old, mare 8 years old, span coming 4 year old mules, yearling mule.

30 head of Cattle—15 coming 2 year old steers, 14 coming yearlings, 10 steers, 4 heifers.

135 head of Hogs—115 fall shoats, 20 brood sows, some with pig, others to farrow soon.

Some hay and corn.

Implements—Gang plow, cultivator, mowing machine, rake, grain binder, corn planter, set work harness and other articles too numerous to mention.

USUAL TERMS.

W. E. Hinton

Hosmer & Braniger, Aucts. S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

LUNCH ON GROUNDS

Maryville Independents

Do you know who they are? Leech, Miller, Bloomfield, Ellis, Kirby, Hann, Brown

—VS.—

St. Joseph Trunks

Mueller, Wales, Nidy, Kestner, Scott.

--Basketball-- TONIGHT

One of the fastest teams in Northwest Missouri. From all probabilities, this will be the best game seen in Maryville this season.

High School Gym

at 7:20 so those who wish may attend Father Flanagan's show, which begins at 8:20.
Benefit of Lyceum Committee.

ADMISSION 50c.

Thomas Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Oakford of Omaha, who spent the week end in Maryville as guests of Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Thomas, returned home this morning.

Miss Betty Turner, secretary of the Red Cross went to Guilford today in interest of Red Cross work for a disabled veteran.

For Wednesday and Thursday

WE QUOTE YOU PRICES ON TABLE AND KITCHEN NECESSITIES THAT ARE GUARANTEED TO PLEASE YOU BOTH IN PRICE AND QUALITY:

6 bars Luna Soap for.....25c
6 bars Swift's Laundry Soap for 25c
6 pkgs. Swift's Washing Powder 25c
Chip O, White Soap Chips, 2 lb pkgs 25c
Wool Soap Chips, per lb..15c
3 cakes Palm Olive or Creme Oil Soap.....25c
No. 2 size Turtle Green Beans 15c
No. 2 size Turtle Kidney Beans 15c
No. 2½ size Turtle Hominy 15c
No. 2½ size SLICED PINE Apple 40c
Rio Coffee, per lb.....20c
Butter Nut Coffee, the coffee delicious, per lb.....45c
Good Morn Pancake Flour is far superior to anything now on the market. Try it and be convinced at per 2 lb pkg 25c
We deliver milk with orders at 5c per pint and 10c per qt.

In our Meat Department we sell only home killed.

Rib Roast, per lb.....20c
Hamburger, per lb.....15c
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Pork Roast, cut from the shoulder, per lb.....18c
Pork Steak, cut from the shoulder, per lb.....20c
Pork Loin Roast, lb....22½c
Pork Hearts, per lb.....6c
Spare Ribs, per lb.....15c
Bacon, per lb 25c, 35c and 45c
Frankfurter Sausage at 17½c
Fresh Fish Tuesday and Thursday at..... 35c lb
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Former Democrat-Forum Employee Gets Letter About Tut-Ankh-Amen

H. E. Selecman of Des Moines, Ia., a former employee of the Democrat-Forum, who is now with the Manhattan Oil Company there, has received a most interesting letter from N. E. Coffin, vice-president of the Company, who is now in Luxor, Egypt, where the historic relics are being discovered in the 3000-year old tomb of King Tut-Ankh-Amen. Mr. Coffin has sent some pictures of the findings together with an interesting account of the country and the work of the Egyptologists. The following is a portion of Mr. Coffin's letter:

The valley is a desert waste where rain falls not oftener than twice in a century and then very little. To reach this valley we crossed the Nile here at Luxor to the east bank, and drove by native villages and an ancient canal that fills with water when the Nile rises, and through very fertile fields covered with the greenest crops imaginable, then into the desert waste. Just beyond the western hills of this valley stretches the vast undulating desert.

We visited a number of the ancient tombs, and then went on to the Temple of Queen Hatasn, the Remesseum, and Colossi of Memnon. The decorations in the tombs are amazingly well preserved, the coloring practically as good as when put upon the walls thousands of years ago. The sculptures and paintings are very fine. The statues, too, in the temples, were executed with wonderful skill. Some are colossal.

Many more things will be found in this new tomb. Through a hole made in one of the walls of the first chamber an adjoining room can be seen crowded full of articles. Even the chariots are gold plated. The reason so many articles are found is because Tut-Ankh-Amen was the last king of his line. Egyptologists think that probably all the furniture and fittings of his palace, and his personal effects, were burried with him. Somewhere in a more remote chamber they expect to find his mummy. It is estimated that two years will be required to remove everything. It is very slow work as every article must be treated chemically before being touched, and most carefully handled. But not much is accomplished in a day. It took about three hours to remove the three parts of the couch we saw them take out, and that was all the work done that day. They cannot work removing every day, as the articles must be treated chemically as they are reached in the tomb.

They hope to find inscriptions, hieroglyphics and papyri that will clear up a good deal of Egyptian history, about which, little is now known. They believe now that Tut was ruling Pharoch at the time of the exodus, and that the golden calf the children of Isreal fell to worshiping, was this goddess Hathor, and perhaps of similar design.

This is a very impressive country, and one feels the mystery and solemnity of it all.

Moving pictures were taken at the tomb the day we were there. They will be interesting to see.

A thing occurred here Friday that the English and Americans (That are not American correspondents) are wrathy about. Mr. Carter had gone to Cairo to meet Lord Carnarvon, who is returning from England. During his absence the Egyptians opened the tomb to some of their own people, and to the correspondents, against the wishes and order of Mr. Carter and Lord Carnarvon, who take the position that no one should be admitted yet. The Egyptian government seems to be in an ugly mood toward the English. The granting of some exclusive rights to certain newspapers by Lord Carnarvon seems to have incensed them.

But Mr. Carter has devoted his life to these explorations and Lord Carnarvon has spent immense sums of money in the work, and every thing goes to the Egyptian government. One would expect the Egyptians to be bubbling over with enthusiasm and gratitude, but they are not. The Egyptians never spent a penny in this kind of work, and allowed the tombs to be robbed for centuries, and if left to themselves would not have taken proper care of anything.

The best of them are an incompetent lot, very small spirited, narrow minded and arrogant. The most of the people are poor and as one of the drogomen told me, the Egyptian rulers are avaricious and intolerant and if the English were not here, would not hesitate to throw him or any other man into prison on any pretext or suspicion.

All the land and all the wealth is owned by a few. I pity the poor natives of this country, and feel sad for their future, if England restores the entire government to their ignorant, haughty and corrupt autocrats. I understand the situation is the same in Turkey. One woman in a thousand can read and write. No schools and no hope for the masses of people under Arab rule.

We pretend to be Christians, but like Pilate wash our hands and let the crucifixion of millions go on. It is said that Lord Carnarvon offered the rights to this picture to all the newspapers, and let them go a syndicate that agreed to pay the most, but that his receipts from this will scarcely pay two months of his present expenses in the expedition. The Egyptians could not be trusted to handle the matter.

In Memoriam

In loving remembrance of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. E. W. Willoughby, who passed away, 1 year ago March 3, 1922.

Days of sadness still come o'er us.
Tears of sorrow silently flow.
Fond memory keeps our dear one near us.
Though Heaven claimed her one year ago.
Though you are gone you're not forgotten.
And your place can never be filled.
We will keep your memory sacred
Until our hearts in death is stilled.
—Sadly missed by E. W. Willoughby and family.

PARALYTIC STROKE IS FATAL TO WM. ROGERS.

William Rogers, who had been ill for three years following a paralytic stroke, died about noon today at his home on the corner of Thompson and Newton streets. He is survived by his widow and five children, three daughters and two sons. Two of the daughters are Mrs. John Hollensbe of Pickering and Mrs. Mary O'Riley, living near Maryville, and the sons are William Rogers of Clarinda, Ia., and John Rogers, east of Maryville. For a number of years the family lived in the Myrtle Tree neighborhood and five years ago moved to Maryville. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Poor old Jim Jeffries, who made millions off his fists and the gullibility of the American people, is broke. Had he saved a tenth part of the amounts he made a few years ago, his old days would have been full of comfort and financial security. It is the old story of "come easy, go easy" and take no heed for the morrow.

Vagrant Musings.

The man who is stuck on himself usually does not stick on anything else.

The editors may consider the men who write some of the verses as poets but the readers do not agree with them in many cases.

Too many of us think the world would be much better if the rest of us would do the things we think they should do.

The early bird may get the worm but look at the nice hours of sleep he is missing.

CHIEF CLAMPS LID ON THE CHICAGO VICE DENS.

Chicago, March 6. — Two thousand policemen today stood guard at all the disorderly houses in Chicago. This drastic action was upon order from Charles Fitzmorris, chief of police, who ordered policemen stationed at both the front and rear of suspected places. Recent criticism had been directed at the chief by the welfare workers, who charged that vice openly flourished in the city.

EFFORTS MADE TO SECURE RELEASE OF ANNA BUZZI

New York, March 6—Another move to secure the release of Mrs. Anna Buzzi, held upon $25,000 bail as a material witness in the murder of Frederick Schneider, contractor, was taken today when attorneys for Mrs. Buzzi secured a writ of habeas corpus for release from jail. The writ is returnable Friday.

AGENT LOSES LIFE IN EFFORT TO SAVE ANOTHER

Warsaw, Ind., March 6—Both men lost their lives today when Frank Mandelbury, station agent at Coesse, Indiana, made a futile effort to save William Snyder, an aged Civil War veteran from an approaching train, which the feeble man failed to see.

Paradoxical as it may seem, those cities that blaze the way and keep at the head of the procession find the travelling much easier than do those that try to follow in the rear.

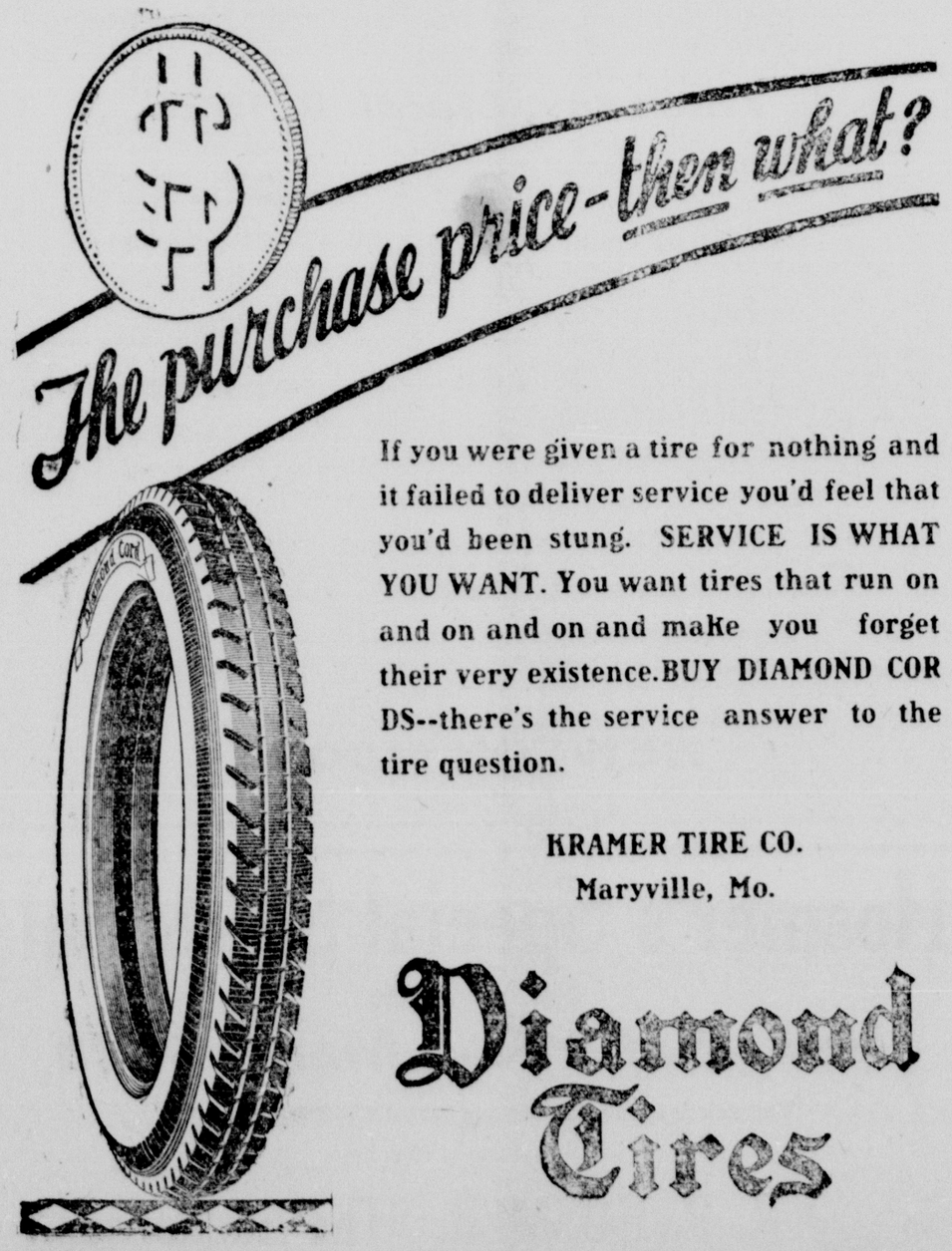
Cheerful Thought for Today.

It will be only a few more days until your income tax report is due.

DeMolay's

Meeting tonight K. P. Hall at 7:30. Members of permanent degree team urged to be present. Some important business.

MARION GILE, M. C.
WILSON McMURRY, Scribe.



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Statement by F. P. Robinson

In the coming campaign for City Officers, the public is entitled to all the information possible and I will from time to time state over my signature certain facts and convictions for your consideration.

Having heard many questions about the law regarding the city election and the government of the city, I will first briefly outline the law.

Any person qualified to hold office may up to ten days before the primary file with the City Clerk his declaration of intention to become a candidate for mayor or councilman, filing will close on the 9th of March and the primary election will be on March 20th.

At the primary election all the names of those filed will be printed on one ballot in alphabetical order and each voter may vote for one for mayor and two for councilmen; the day after the primary the City Clerk will publicly canvas the vote and the two candidates for mayor receiving the highest number of votes and the four candidates for councilmen receiving the highest number of votes will then be placed on the ticket for the final election, which will be held on April 3.

At said election the candidate receiving the highest number of votes for mayor and the two receiving the highest number of votes for councilmen will be declared elected.

POWERS OF COUNCIL: Under the law the mayor and two councilmen have all the power of government which the city possesses and in their deliberations each of the three have an equal vote.

They possess power to create and discontinue offices and employment and fix the salaries thereof.

Under this power the former councils have passed an ordinance providing for the city manager and providing that if at the first meeting of the council after an election, the council does not select some other person for city manager, the mayor shall become city manager for the term for which he was elected mayor. His salary as mayor shall be $250.00 a year and the salary as city manager $2250.00 a year, a total of $2500.00.

The commission plan has been in force for two terms or about four years in this city and both commissions found it best for the city to select the man elected mayor as city manager under the plan above outlined.

The ordinance also provides that the city manager shall give all his time to the job, Section 3 of Ordinance Number 818, reading as follows: "The manager of said city aforesaid, shall devote his entire time and attention to the business and affairs of the city of Maryville, and shall not engage in any other business or employment that will interfere with or distract his time or talents from the business and affairs of said city."

The voter should bear in mind that the council have the power after their election to raise or lower the salary of the city manager, if they see fit, and that they also have the power to make the mayor manager, select either councilman as manager, or select some other person entirely outside as manager.

NOW A FEW WORDS AS TO MY OWN CANDIDACY: I have been mayor and manager for about two years; have complied with the above quoted Section 3 and devoted all my time and attention to your business and held no other jobs.

I have turned my own business affairs over to others to such an extent that though I have a considerable farming enterprise just one mile from town, I have been on that farm not to exceed a dozen times in the last two years and then only for a few minutes at a time and my more distant farms I have not even seen in the last two years.

The city's business is your business, the manager is your agent and he owes an equal duty to every citizen and no special favor to anyone.

I have tried to give you one and all a square deal, playing no favorites and with a business administration in which you got something to show for your money, I have also tried to keep the old town clean, both physically and morally, because that is what I think you are entitled to as a good place to live in.

Appointive officers and employees have been selected by me in every case solely on their merits and because I thought they would do the work required of them. None of these subordinates was appointed because some gang or politician wanted him to have a job and strenuous efforts were made in several instances to keep me from appointing some of those I did appoint but I made the appointment looking solely to the good of the services.

In claiming credit for any accomplishment of the administration I as cheerfully accept the responsibility for any mistakes of the administration as I have had a free hand in the management of the city and have at all times been my own boss.

A PLEDGE TO THE PUBLIC: As a candidate for mayor, I make this pledge to all the people of the city. If elected mayor and selected manager I will devote all my time to the job, and hold no other office or employment and I will not accept any increase in salary but will work at the same salary $2,500.00 per year. I wil continue to enforce the laws and ordinances with vigor and without favor on the theory that laws are made to be enforced and that all are entitled to their equal enforcement and protection.

I will if elected favor a continuance of the plan of making the mayor city manager as I think the four years trial have shown that best results may be obtained in this city by that plan.

If elected mayor and manager I will be mayor and manager and will not be dominated, controlled or bossed by any person, institution or clique.

I have not and will not make any promise, agreement or pledge with any person or persons regarding my conduct of the office, other than the public pledge set out above and if I make any further pledges during the campaign they will be published as above over my signature.

F. P. ROBINSON.

I am basing my appeal for re-election on my record for the past two years and I expect from time to time to point out to you various things in that record for your consideration and I urge you to read, preserve and study all published statements in this campaign.

Respectfully,
F. P. ROBINSON.

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TONIGHT AND TOMORROW—

Charlie Chaplin & Jackie Coogan in "THE KID"

It's the best picture Chaplin ever made. Didn't he and Jackie Coogan work on it for a whole year to make it? Matinees at 2:30 and 4:10—10c and 33c. Night at 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 33c.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, one day only—

Hoot Gibson, "The Loaded Door"